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4	Sixty percent of the regiment's personnel were Czechs and 40 percent Sloveks. The regiment was organized into the regimental headquarters with the headquarters company, the recommaissance company; the technical company, and the I through III Bn. The I Bn consisted of two infantry companies, a heavy machine gun company, a gun company, and a mortar company numbering 80 to 100 soldiers. The technical company consisted of an engineer platoon and a signal platoon. The strength of the regiment was continuously increasing and was estimated at 1,800 EM in late November 1950. Other soldiers who were clerks at the regimental headquarters said that the personnel of the regiment would eventually number about 2,800. (3)	25X1
5.	The headquarters company and the reconnaissance company were equipped with Czech model 48-A and B submachine guns and Czech model 26 light machine guns. The heavy weapons company was observed training with three 45-mm guns; seven or eight guns of the same caliber were seen in the company's ordnance room. The regiment's morter company had morters of 80 and 120-mm caliber, the latter drawn by a team of horses. Each infantry company of the I Bn was armed with German model 98 rifles, Czech model 26 light machine guns, and training bazockas. The heavy machine gun company had Czech model 37 heavy machine guns on carts, the gun company 45-mm guns, and the morter company 80-mm and 120-mm morters.  The heavy machine gun company 45-mm guns, and the morter company 80-mm and 120-mm morters.  The heavy machine guns company 45-mm guns, and the morter company 80-mm and 120-mm guns on carts, the gun company 45-mm guns, and the morter company 80-mm and 120-mm morters.  The heavy machine guns company 45-mm guns, and the morter company 80-mm and 120-mm guns on carts, the gun company 45-mm guns, and the morter company 80-mm and 120-mm guns on carts, the gun company 45-mm guns, and the morter company 80-mm and 120-mm guns on carts, the gun company 45-mm guns, and the morter company 80-mm and 120-mm guns on carts.	25 <b>X</b> 1
6.	Maneuvers at division level were started at the Cesky Krumlov (N 49/Q 84) troop training grounds in early May 1950. Several tanks from Strasice (N 50/L 34) were attached to the division for the duration of the maneuvers, which were witnessed by two Soviet field-grade officers.	
	a drivers' school was to be opened in Hamry on 1 December 1950. Preparatory training of drivers in Nyrsko was to start on 15 November 1950. (4)	25X1
7,	the population of Nyrsko would be resettled and troops with tanks and heavy guns would move to Nyrsko.	25 <b>X</b> 1
8.	In early September 1950, five Soviet officers arrived in Nyrsko for an inspection of the military quarters. Among them were a colonel and a lieutenant colonel who were also seen at a troop review in Susice two weeks later.	
9.	The roadsleading to the border in the Nyrsko area were blocked by chevaux-de - frise, trenches and some mines.	•
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(1)	En in late 1948. It was mentioned for the first time	– 25 <b>X</b> 1
	as 23d Inf Regt, when its surname was changed in April 1949.  Feferred to the unit as a regiment since then, although it consisted of only	
	10 companies. Therefore, Unit has still been carried as 23d Inf Bn. It seems possible, however, that the term regiment was justified, if the unit is a cadre regiment of regimental units and one full-size battalion. The	25X1 25X1
	into three battalions. This, however, requires substantiation, especially	25X1
	because fails to supply details on two battalions. It is also doubted that an additional battalion should be stationed in Bystrice, where only two companies have been located before. This would be possible, however,	25X1
	if a new cantonment was opened.	OEV.
τ	For the time being, the unit will still be carried with its previous strength, it being immaterial whether it is designated as an infantry brigade or cadre division. Besides the 23d Inf Regt, the unit includes the 10th Arty Regt	25X1
\	the 26th Inf Bn or Regt in Kasperske Hory; and the 66th Inf Bn or	25 <b>X</b> 1

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(2)	Valenta, (fmu), was 18th Inf Regt.		a major and	as chief of staff o	of the 25X1
(3)	The information on the regimental unit; company, while mortineavy weapons companies.	include a guars and light	m company instead AT guns constitute	of a heavy weapons.	ita.
(4)	The maneuvers were l Cesky Krumlov, The	eld at the Bo tanks probabl	letice troop train y belonged to the	ing grounds, west o 23d Tank Brig in St	f rasice.
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